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THE STATE TICKET.

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W. E. ROBINSON.

Fourth District Meeting.

The republicans of the Fourth congressional district will meet in convention at Madison at 10:30 o'clock a. m., on Thursday, September 11, 1902, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for congress. The several counties of the district will be entitled to the number of delegates indicated below, and to a like number of alternates, to wit: Bartholomew, 16; Brown, 4; Dearborn, 13; Jackson, 14; Jefferson, 17; Jennings, 11; Johnson, 12; Ohio, 4; Ripley, 14, and Switzerland, 8.

Convention Dates.

The republican county convention will be held at the court house in Brownstown on Saturday, September 20, 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m.
The judicial convention will be held at Paoli on Saturday, September 27, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.
The congressional convention will be held at Madison on Thursday, September 11, at 10:30 a. m.

W. H. BURKLEY, Chm. J. C. R. C. C.
E. A. REMY, Secretary.

Call for Judicial Republican Convention.

The republicans of the forty-second judicial district of the state of Indiana will meet in delegate convention at Paoli, Ind., on Saturday September 27th, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating a republican candidate for prosecuting attorney of said district.

The apportionment of delegates will be the same as that applied to the last republican state convention. Jackson county will be entitled to fourteen delegates and fourteen alternates; Orange county will be entitled to eleven delegates and eleven alternates; Washington county will be entitled to eleven delegates and eleven alternates, making the total number of delegates thirty-six; necessary to a choice, nineteen. By order of

W. H. BURKLEY Chairman Jackson County R. C. C.
J. P. THROOP, Chairman Orange County R. C. C.
LEWIS DENNIS, Chairman Washington County R. C. C.

Republican Township Conventions.

The republicans of Jackson county will meet in their several townships Saturday September 6th, 1902, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., and select delegates and alternates to the congressional, judicial and county conventions. The apportionment of delegates and alternates for the county convention will be one delegate and one alternate to every 15 votes and fraction of 10 votes cast for Hugh H. Hanna, republican elector at large, at the November election 1900.

The apportionment of delegates and alternates to the congressional and judicial conventions will be one delegate and one alternate to every 200 votes and fraction of 100 votes cast for Hugh Hanna, elector at large at the November election 1900.

On the above apportionments Jackson county will elect 184 delegates and 184 alternates to the county convention, and 14 delegates and 14 alternates each to the congressional and judicial conventions.

The apportionment for the several townships and the places of meeting and selecting same are as follows: JACKSON TOWNSHIP AT SEYMOUR.

70 delegates and 70 alternates to county convention.
5 delegates and 5 alternates to Congressional convention.
5 delegates and 5 alternates to Judicial convention.

BROWNSTOWN TOWNSHIP AT BROWNS TOWN.

18 delegates and 18 alternates to county convention.
1 delegate and one alternate to congressional convention.
1 delegate and 1 alternate to judicial convention.

VERNON TOWNSHIP AT CROTHERSVILLE.

17 delegates and 17 alternates to county convention.
1 delegate and 1 alternate to congressional convention.
1 delegate and 1 alternate to judicial convention.

CARR TOWNSHIP AT MEDORA.

14 delegates and 14 alternates to county convention.
1 delegate and 1 alternate to congressional convention.
1 delegate and 1 alternate to judicial convention.

SALT CREEK TOWNSHIP AT HOUSTON.

13 delegates and 13 alternates to county convention.
1 delegate and 1 alternate to congressional convention.
1 delegate and 1 alternate to judicial convention.

HAMILTON TOWNSHIP AT CORTLAND.

12 delegates and 12 alternates to county convention.
1 delegate and 1 alternate to congressional convention.
1 delegate and 1 alternate to judicial convention.

OWEN TOWNSHIP AT CLEARSRING.

11 delegates and 11 alternates to county convention.
1 delegate and 1 alternate to congressional convention.
1 delegate and 1 alternate to judicial convention.

RIDDING TOWNSHIP AT ROCKFORD.

8 delegates and 8 alternates to county convention.
1 delegate and 1 alternate to congressional convention.
1 delegate and 1 alternate to judicial convention.

DRIFTWOOD TOWNSHIP AT VALLONIA.

9 delegates and 9 alternates to county convention.
1 delegate and 1 alternate to congressional convention.
1 delegate and 1 alternate to judicial convention.

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP AT DUDLEY TOWN.

5 delegates and 5 alternates to county convention.
1 delegate to congressional convention.
1 alternate to judicial convention.

W. H. BURKLEY, Chairman.

E. A. REMY, Sec.
The break between President Roosevelt and General Miles does not seem to be of a nature to interrupt their official relations. At the direction of the president, General Miles will go to the Philippines on business of importance for the government.—Terre Haute Tribune.

CONGRESSMAN GRIFFITH is down for a speech at the bean dinner over in Brown county Saturday. He will do a little politics both before and after he partakes of beans. That Nashville correspondent who has been sending out those big Brown county stories should see Griffith at the bean dinner.

CONGRESSMAN LANDIS in his speech to the farmers, said: "In 1892 the election went democratic, and immediately horses went democratic, cattle went democratic, sheep went democratic, in short everything went democratic." Has any farmer forgotten those democratic times? Let him compare the years of '92 to '96 with the years from '96 to the present time and then vote according to his best judgment.

The brief mention in another column of the business outlook as observed at the several manufacturing plants in Seymour is very satisfactory. Seymour has quite a number of splendid industries which give employment to a large force of laborers. To find nearly everyone reporting a good business so far this year and all full of expectation for a good fall business augurs well for the future of Seymour.

The abundant crops which our farmers have harvested this year, and the busy season among our factories forecasts a fall and winter that will mean renewed prosperity for all our citizens in every line of business.

Court News.

The trial of the McConnell case was concluded at 10 o'clock Thursday night. The case was submitted to the court without argument. Judge Buskirk took the matter under advisement and will give his decision later in the term.

Judge W. R. Gardiner and Senator Eph Inman, of Washington, were at court today to appear in the case of the state vs Dallas Tyler et al, proceedings supplementary to execution.

Court held that the state was not the proper party to bring the action and dismissed it. The case will be appealed.

Court took a recess this afternoon to carve a few Jackson county watermelons.

E. A. Bennett and son were here from Spraytown last evening.

P. L. Worrell and wife, of Indianapolis, were here this morning on their way home from Brownstown. He was employed by the late Travis Carter years ago. Mrs. Worrell was a sister of the late Peter L. Carter.

GIVE IT ENCOURAGEMENT.

We believe our citizens, and particularly the merchants, do not realize and appreciate the importance to our city in the organization here of the proposed company of militia to be attached to the First Regiment of the Indiana National Guards. To secure the mustering in of the company it was necessary that 55 men be recruited of proper physical and moral development, and it is gratifying to learn that there have already been enlisted some sixty odd members.

It is not generally known that the state, from its fund for that purpose, which is raised partly by direct taxation and partly by contribution from the Federal Government, stands all of the expense of organization in the way of providing for the uniforms, arms, rent and armory, etc. The state fund also provides for the payment of the time done by the members in drilling. We believe, however, this latter item is limited to a certain number of hours' work each fortnight. Drills in excess of that time must be on the volition of the members. There is also held annually a brigade encampment, in which all of the companies of militia throughout the state are brought together and drilled in battalion, regimental and brigade work, and at these encampments the members are allowed railroad fare, subsistence and per diem. Aside from this being a very pleasant outing for the men, it gives them an idea of the work required of them, and without any expense to the individual members.

It occurs to the writer that our merchants, therefore, should encourage the organization in every way they possibly can. If they have young men in their employ who are qualified they should encourage them to enlist and to pass the physical examination to the end that Seymour may be fitly represented in the State Guard. In many places throughout the country, local companies of militia, infantry, cavalry or artillery are given considerable social prominence. There is no reason why the company here in Seymour, selected with some care should not take first rank in our social organizations, and be the pride of the community. Thus far, the tedious work of securing recruits for the organization has all been done by Messrs. W. B. Russell and Wm. Gelle, but we hope our people will now take it up and lend these gentlemen encouragement and assistance in getting the organization started and under way. Both Mr. Russell and Mr. Gelle have qualifications that particularly fit them to serve as officers in the company, and it is hoped that when the organization is completed, they will be elected by their associates to positions whereby the members will secure the benefit of their experience.

DIED.

BRANAMAN.—Christian Brananman died at the home of his son, W. T. Brananman, on West Sixth street at 8:45 this morning. He had been in fairly good health for one of his age until two weeks ago when he had an attack of heart trouble. Mr. Brananman was nearly eighty-two years of age, having been born November 12, 1820, in Owentownship, Jackson county. He lived in that township until in July, 1901, when he came to Seymour to reside with his son, W. T. Brananman. In December, 1841, he was married to Mary S. Wells, who died January 10, 1867. Mr. Brananman was a farmer all his life except that he operated a tannery near Clearspring a number of years. He was one of the most prominent and highly esteemed men in the county. He leaves twelve living children. They are Emaline Scott, Martha Brananman, William T. Frank, Jacob W., Henrietta McCaslin, C. J. Brananman, Alice Lenier, A. C. Brananman, D. H. Brananman, Frances Brananman and G. M. Brananman.

Funeral services at Clearspring at 11 o'clock Sunday forenoon. Funeral procession will leave the residence here at 5 o'clock Sunday morning.

SAGE.—George Sage, of Cana, died Sunday morning, of Bright's disease, aged 75 years.

Fresh line of reception wafers and cakes at Hancock's.

P. H. Truesdale, of Chillicothe, Ohio, came in this morning to visit friends.

Miss Kate Andrews left last night for Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, where she will again teach the coming year.

The engine pulling No. 19 broke down at Crothersville and the local freight engine was pressed into service.

Miss Katherine Marshall who has spent the summer here left today for Toledo, Ohio, where she teaches school.

Henry Ahl and wife and three children arrived from Nebraska today to visit their home and friends of eighteen years ago.

Mrs. W. G. Reynolds accompanied her Sunday school class to the city park for a class picnic last evening and they all had a delightful time.

A Necessary Precaution.

Don't neglect a cold. It is worse than an unpleasant. It is dangerous. By using One Minute Cough Cure you can cure it at once. Allays inflammation, clears the head, soothes and strengthens the mucous membrane. Cures coughs, croup, throat and lung troubles. Absolutely safe. Acts immediately. Children like it. Pellens' drug store. Pet's drug store.

THE BUSINESS OUTLOOK.

SEYMOUR'S FUTURE IS MOST PROMISING.

Factories All Busy with Good Orders Ahead.

A representative of the REPUBLICAN spent yesterday among the numerous busy factories of our city. The result was as gratifying as it was surprising. In every case the report for this year's business has been excellent and the outlook is bright for its continuance through the coming season.

SEYMOUR WOOLEN FACTORY.

This factory has been running at its full capacity all the year. Its trade comes from all sections of the country, and the outlook is for a continuance of a good business without a break through the coming year. One hundred sixty are now on the pay roll.

TRAVIS CARTER CO.

This company has more work contracted now than at any one time for several years. It does a large amount of mill work for shipment. It recently received the contract for the new Linton school house. It will furnish all the mill work for the new Carnegie library building at Bedford.

The new hub mill which they will operate will soon be running. Most of the machinery is in position and they are receiving timber now.

BLISH MILLING CO.

This mill is running at its full capacity of 1,000 barrels per day with the prospect of continuing at full capacity through the year. The demand for their product is steadier than for several years and indicates a healthy business prospect. Their flour is about equally divided between the domestic and foreign markets.

SEYMOUR MANUFACTURING CO.

This factory runs about fifty out of every fifty-two weeks. Just now they are enlarging one of their buildings and putting in a larger engine. They have the usual number of men at work for this season of the year, with a good average business, and a favorable outlook for the coming year.

D'HEUR & SWAIN LUMBER CO.

The band saw mill is running right along with a full force of men and prospects are good for their continuing without interruption. They had just shipped a car load of lumber to England when the REPUBLICAN'S representative called.

JOHN EBNER ICE CO.

The ice company has been running at its full capacity this summer in spite of the cool weather, and if the season had been hot the factory would have been crowded to the utmost to fill orders.

SEYMOUR SLACK STAVE CO.

H. E. McDonald's new hoop factory was a busy place, having just begun operations. As soon as the machines get to running smoothly they will turn out 40,000 hoops per day. The stove department will be started this week and within thirty days the entire plant will be in full operation. Their trouble is to find men to work.

SEYMOUR SADDLERY CO.

This is a busy factory running with a full force of men making 175 sets of harness each week. Mr. Dickerson stated that they have about \$50,000 worth of work ahead of them on contracts. The outlook is good for the coming season.

HUMES PLANING MILL CO.

Humes' mill reports building contracts good with a full quota of men at work and prospects good for fall work.

WIENEKE'S TABLE FACTORY.

Work is not slack at this factory. Next Monday they expect to put on a full force of hands. They have numerous orders ahead with plenty of business in prospect.

SEYMOUR PLANING MILL CO.

This mill is running full time with work enough ahead now to keep them running for several weeks.

SEYMOUR FURNITURE CO.

Since their fire this company has been selling and shipping goods from the large stock they had in their warehouses. They have not yet decided as to rebuilding.

SAUFF'S COOPER SHOPS.

Charles Sauer has a full force of men at work in his cooper shops and he says the outlook is excellent for a good fall business.

SEYMOUR MILLING CO.

This reliable company is doing a good business, there being a steady demand for the product of their mill. The season's business has been very satisfactory and the outlook for the future is bright.

GREIMANN FURNITURE CO.

This factory expected to be running with a large force of hands before this time but delays in receiving machinery has hindered them. A few men are at work now and a full force will be put on as soon as the machinery which was bought several weeks ago arrives and is put in position. A large amount of lumber has already been purchased. This promises to be one of our most valuable industries.

SUCKER ROD.

M. A. St. John is running his factory and mill at full time and has been doing so all summer. He says the outlook for fall business is excellent. There is always a good demand for his products.

AHLBRAND CARRIAGE CO.

This firm has been employing a full force of men all summer and so far this year the season's business has been better than last year. It is a little early to forecast their fall trade but they are now considering the matter of enlarging their plant. This is an excellent indication that they expect a good season's business.

HYGIENE MILLING CO.

It is a little early to tell what the demand for the hoosier pancake flour will be this year, but up to this time indications are that the sales this year will equal if not exceed those of last year. The mill has been running through the summer on their other products.

LATH FACTORY.

Ackerman & Hartmann started their lath factory last spring and have sold all the lath they made. They will start up in a short time again. Their products find a ready market.

A SKULL FOR "HAMLET."

The Odd Manner in Which the Elder Booth Acquired One.

The elder Booth acquired a skull for use in "Hamlet" in an odd manner, according to a story in the Sun and Herald. The tragedian, somewhat in his cups, was traveling near Louisville when he took a horse from a field and rode off with it. Horse stealing at that time was a capital offense in Kentucky, and the greatest horse thief was a man named Fontaine. Booth was soon overtaken and when asked where he got the animal said:

"I captured him in a field back here."
"Indeed," said one of the farmers. "And what might your name be?"
"My name is Fontaine," said Booth, without a smile.

"Fontaine!" ejaculated both men simultaneously. "Then you are the very man we want. Come back to town with us."
"Certainly," said Booth in the most good natured manner, and, wheeling his horse, he rode back to Louisville with his captors.

The city jail was then in charge of a Colonel Thomas, who knew Booth well. "We have brought you Fontaine, the horse thief, and claim the reward," said the farmers proudly, addressing the jailer.

"Where is he?" they were asked. Booth was produced. "Why, what does this mean, Mr. Booth?" asked Thomas.
"I haven't the slightest idea," said the great tragedian, with the utmost simplicity. "I met these two men with this horse, and they insisted upon giving it to me. I guess they stole it. I think one of them is Fontaine."

The rusties were about to be locked up when by the most singular coincidence a man rushed to the prison door on horseback and shouted out the information that the real Fontaine had been taken into custody. Booth made Fontaine's acquaintance in jail, and the horse thief, who was executed later, left by will his skull to the actor.

THE COUGAR'S FIGHTING.

How a Bull Elk Won a Battle by a Solar Plexus Blow.

The cougar does not leap upon its big game nor drop on it out of treetops, but sneaks close or lies in wait upon the level and goes from cover in a straight rush like the tiger or the hunting leopard. It endeavors to seize upon the lower throat or shoulder with its teeth and to twist the quarry's head against this "purchase" in its powerful forearms until the neck is broken. Failing in its attempt, yet making good its catch hold, the cougar will to put it moderately—go in and finish in any old style. It will usually finish once tooth and claw are engaged, but sometimes it falls and even gets the worst of an encounter.

Felix Michael, a most reliable free trapper of the old regime, once told me he had watched a lion stalking a bull elk. It was a Teton mountain cougar of the big variety. It went from cover in a headlong rush, but missed its neck stroke as the bull lunged ahead, catching him at the point of the shoulder and going under his belly. Both animals were bowled over in a mixup of hair, hoofs, claws and horns. In a brief struggle, as they rolled over together, the cougar was thrown into the air, as if hoisted by a spring trap, by a convulsive kick from the bull's hind leg. The maddened elk gained its legs and chased its enemy off the field. An unlooked for punch in the wind had taken the sand out of pussy.—Outing.

It Needs a Tonic.

There are times when your liver needs a tonic. Don't give purgatives that gripe and weaken. DeWitt's Little Early Risers expel all poison from the system, and act as tonic to the liver. W. Scott, 531 Highland ave., Milton, Pa., says: "I have carried DeWitt's Little Early Risers with me for several years and would not be without them." Small and easy to take. Purely vegetable. They never gripe or distress. Pellens' drug store, Peter's drug store.

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B. & O. S-W. EXCURSION.

Full Festival, Cincinnati, Ohio—The B. & O. S-W. will sell excursion tickets to Cincinnati and return, Sept. 15th to 2nd at \$1.50 for the round trip, good to return Sept. 30th, 1902. On Sept. 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21 and 22nd tickets will be sold at one fare for the round trip, good to return on any day from date of sale.

Des Moines, Iowa, and Return—On account of meeting of Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., the B. & O. S-W. will sell tickets to Des Moines, Iowa, and return on Sept. 12, 13, 14, 1902, at one fare for the round trip. Tickets good to return Sept. 22, 1902. An extension of time may be had until Oct. 15, 1902.

The B. & O. S-W. will sell tickets to Bedford, Indiana, and return on account of the Bedford Fair September 1st to 8th, at one fare for the round trip, good returning September 8th, 1902.

Excursion to Columbus via Pennsylvania Lines.

September 10th to 12th, inclusive, excursion tickets to Columbus, account Race Meeting, will be sold from Henryville, Indianapolis, Madison, Rushville and intermediate ticket stations on the Pennsylvania lines.

BEDFORD ROUTE

Southern Indiana Railway

Time Table of Passenger Trains Effective June 8, 1902.

SOUTH BOUND TRAINS.

STATIONS.	EVERY DAY.		
	A. M.	A. M.	P.
Lv. Terre Haute.....	5:40	11:30	
" Canton.....	5:52	11:50	6:05
" Beehunter.....	7:04	12:30	6:15
" Ellettsville.....	7:16	12:45	6:28
" Indian Springs.....	7:34	1:00	7:45
" Bedford.....	8:37	2:03	8:48
Ar. Seymour Junction.....	9:50	2:06	9:58
" Seymour.....	9:55	2:15	9:58

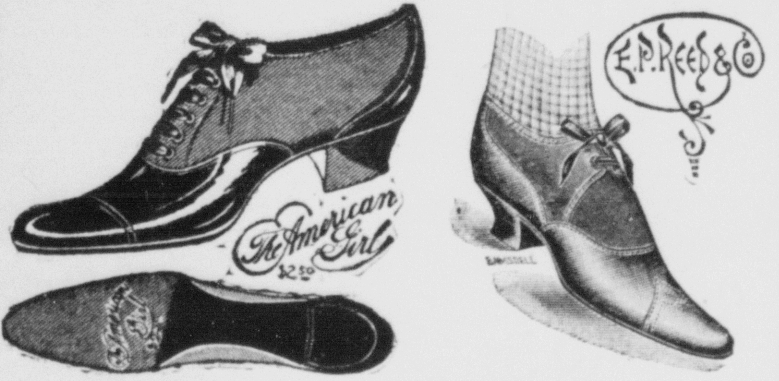
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- Our E. P. Reed & Co's Line, the highest priced Women Slippers, made in both Burn and Welt Soles, Former price 2.50 to 3.50. Choice 98c
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- All 1.35 and 1.50 Oxfords in the latest styles Only 1.00
- All 1.00 Slippers and Oxfords Choice 89c
- Children's Slippers. All Sizes Choice 49c

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PERSONAL

Wm. Steiner and wife went to Columbus today.

William Patrick, of Honeytown, was in town today.

L. D. Bruce, of Clark county, was here last evening.

Andrew Storey was here from Walesboro today.

Mrs. E. G. Rider was here from Linton last evening.

D. F. Richardson, of Scottsburg, was here last evening.

Blaze Robertson, of Honeytown, is reported dangerously sick.

Mrs. John Steele returned last night from a visit to Madison.

O. H. Montgomery came home from Brownstown this morning.

Miss Rose Weddell, of New Albany, is the guest of Miss Leila Vest.

P. A. Jones and wife were north-bound passengers this morning.

Wm. Isgrigg was here from Greensburg today on his way to Crothersville.

Rev. J. L. Perry, of Utica, visited his mother-in-law, A. C. Wiley yesterday.

Mrs. H. J. Berkshire and daughter Gladys visited friends at Hayden today.

John Coryell went to Jeffersonville this morning to accompany his wife home.

Mrs. Emma Lawhead who has been visiting here, returned to Madison last evening.

Miss Amy Bruce, who was visiting friends here, returned to Ludlow, Kentucky, yesterday.

Mrs. B. Herman, who has visited her mother, Mrs. Becker, returned to Terre Haute today.

Harry Parkiser, of Seymour, was the guest of relatives in Mitchell Sunday.—Mitchell Tribune.

Rev. L. O. Steining arrived last evening from Indianapolis to visit his sister, Mrs. J. J. Cobb.

Will Acker and family moved from Scottsburg this morning onto John Shannon's farm near Reddington.

Mrs. W. H. Barkley returned from Indianapolis last evening. She reports Mrs. C. H. Alwes some better.

Miss Floy Vest, who has been visiting in the family of her uncle, Dr. E. R. Vest, returned to Scottsburg this morning.

Frank Branaman came up from Brownstown this morning on account of the illness of his father, Christian Branaman.

Charles Smith and wife, of Ft. Wayne, who have been visiting E. H. Albrand and family, returned home this morning.

O. C. Hubbard, of Seymour, was over today. He is still selling mowing machines, harvesters, etc.—Bedford Democrat.

John Hafner and Harvey Greemann came home from from Seymour Saturday and returned to that city Tuesday.—Batesville Tribune.

George Bartlett returned last night from his western trip. His wife accompanied him home from from Chicago where she was visiting.

Mrs. Eva Fenton and children, who were visiting the families of C. E. McCrady and S. H. Huffman, left for Homestead, Pa., their home, last evening.

F. G. Cotton, of New Orleans, La., and Miss Marietta Sawyer, of Seymour, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Long and other relatives this week.—Franklin Star.

Little Emma Ross, of Seymour, who was the guest of Mrs. L. G. Redman two weeks, returned home last night. Misses Eleanor Snyder and Ida Voelz went to Seymour last evening to visit for a couple of weeks.—Columbus Times.

Labor Meeting

J. C. Heenan, of Linton, will address the laboring men of Seymour at the city building Saturday evening, Aug. 30, at 7:30 o'clock. He will discuss the subject of labor organizations and the matter of organizing in Seymour will be considered. All laboring men are invited.

BORN.

To Harry McGinnis and wife, of Cincinnati, formerly of Seymour, an eight pound girl, on August 26. The little one has been named Francis Elizabeth after its two grandmothers.

All Were Saved.

"For years I suffered such untold misery from Bronchitis," writes J. H. Johnson, of Broughton, Ga., "that often I was unable to work. Then when everything else failed, I was wholly cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. My wife suffered intensely from Asthma, till I cured her, and all our experience goes to show it is the best cure medicine in the world." A trial will convince you it's unrivaled for Throat and Lung diseases. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at W. F. Peter Drug Co.

Notice.

I will not be responsible for any debts my wife, Mary A. Loyd, may make from and after this date, August 28, 1902.

E. LOYD.

Makes children sleep and grow. Makes mother strong and vigorous. Makes a healthy family. That's what Rocky Mountain Tea does. 35 cents. Ask your druggist.

Frank Baker Goes to Pueblo.

The paragraph below to the promotion of Frank H. Baker, a former Seymour boy, who is making his mark in the world. His friends will remember that he went west with Mr. A. W. Dickinson immediately after his graduation from the Seymour high school and took a railroad position and at once proved himself competent and trustworthy. The following is clipped from a St. Louis paper:

"Frank H. Baker, travelling live stock agent of the Missouri Pacific, with territory covering Western Missouri, Eastern Kansas and Oklahoma, has resigned to take the position of traffic manager of the new stock yards at Pueblo, Colo. H. E. Newby, of the local office of the Missouri Pacific will take the place left vacant by Mr. Baker's resignation."

Mr. Baker has been associated with the Missouri Pacific for the past fourteen years, beginning his railroad career in the Kansas City stock office of that road. He goes to help build up a new enterprise that promises much. The Pueblo yards are the most modern and commodious of any in the west and a magnificent feeder trade is expected to develop at that place. Some prophesy that the new yards will forge ahead of Denver. Pueblo is in touch with Kansas City and this will be means of bringing many cattle to this market that formerly went to Chicago or Omaha by way Denver.

BUSINESS NOTES.

P. J. O'Connor went to Austin today on business.

Dr. M. B. White made a professional trip to Franklin today.

I. N. Lake, of Indianapolis, transacted business with M. A. St. John today.

Albert Wines and Charles Butler, of Cana, went to Marion county today to work.

Sherman Perry, the stockbuyer, shipped a car of stock to Cincinnati last evening.

James Rinehart made a business trip to Brownstown today for the Hub & Spoke factory.

The Cordes Hardware Company is doing some work in their line at McDonald's stove factory.

Shatters All Records

Twice in hospital, F. A. Galledge Verbena, Ala., paid a vast sum to doctors to cure a severe case of piles, causing 24 tumors. When all failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve soon cured him. Subdues inflammation, conquers Aches, kills Pains. Best salve in the world. 25c at W. F. Peter Drug Co.

Tablets, pens, pencils and all school supplies at Schwing's Racket Store.

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Mrs. Robert Hall who was burned in the face and hands Wednesday by gasoline catching fire while she was filling the tank, is getting along nicely and will be fully recovered in a few days.

Everybody is invited to be out Wednesday to witness the grand free street parade given by the Who, What, When Minstrel Company. This is one among the largest minstrel companies traveling and give beyond any doubt an up-to-date grand minstrel performance. Prices 25c, 35c and 50c.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

Otto DeArmond, of the S. I. was here Thursday.

W. O. Jones has moved to town from Hamilton township and taken a position as fireman on the B. & O.

W. S. Haines, superintendent of motive power on the Baltimore & Ohio lines west of the Ohio river, and F. S. Rogers, chief train dispatcher at Pittsburg, will sever their connections with the road September 1.

\$100 Reward. \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by druggists, 75 cents. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Another Sunday Excursion to Indianapolis via Pennsylvania Lines.

August 31st, excursion tickets to Indianapolis will be sold via Pennsylvania Lines. Special train leaves Seymour at 8:06 a. m., central time. Round trip 75 cents.

The B. & O. S-W. will sell excursion tickets to Brownstown and return on account of the Jackson County Sunday School Association September 4th and 5th, at 50 cents for the round trip, good returning September 6th, 1902.

C. C. FREY, Agent.

Committees Named.

Executive committee for the Spanish-American war veterans has named the subcommittees on arrangements for the annual encampment, in Indianapolis, Sept. 22, 23 and 24. The citizens committee will be announced next week. Committee chairmen are: Executive committee, Col. R. B. Harrison; reception, Gov. W. T. Durbin; invitation, Lieut. Gov. N. W. Gilbert; finance, Col. H. B. Smith; public health, Dr. J. J. Kyle; escort, Capt. J. L. Anderson; speakers and exercises, Capt. H. S. New; parade, Lieut. D. I. McCormick; press, F. T. Baker; printing and souvenir badges, Fred Hornady; music, Alvin Sebeltschmidt; decorations, J. O. Carson; transportation, E. H. Shortridge.

Women Attack a Saloon.

The proprietor of the saloon at Belmont, Brown county, which was demolished by a mob of women last week, reopened for business the following day. He was given notice that he would again be visited Saturday night unless he closed the place. That night a crowd of women attacked the place with stones, and when the proprietor had fled they entered, but found little liquor, as he had removed it during the day. The women declare that they will continue to raid the place, which is run without a license.

Look Pleasant, Please.

Photographer C. C. Harlan, of Eaton, O., can do so now, though for years he couldn't, because he suffered untold agony from the worst form of indigestion. All physicians and medicine failed to help him till he tried Electric Bitters, which worked such wonders for him that he declares they are a godsend to sufferers from dyspepsia and stomach troubles. Unrivalled for diseases of the Stomach, Liver and Kidneys, they build up and give new life to the whole system. Try them. Only 50 cents. Guaranteed by W. F. Peter Drug Co.

Two Games.

The K. F. M. base ball club are scheduled for two games with the Seymour Reds, one next Sunday and one on Monday. A letter from the manager of the K. F. M. club says they will be here without fail and are confident of playing good ball and receiving courteous treatment. This club has played here before, both last season and this, and they always put up a good game.

Mother. Yes one package makes two quarts of baby medicine. See directions. There is nothing just as good for babies and children as Rocky Mountain Tea. 35cents. Ask your druggist.

Elk and Rico Cigars.

Smoke Schafer's Elk or Rico. 5 cent cigars and have your home industry to grow up same as you help others, dealer and consumer alike.

W. P. SCHAEFER, Manufacturer, Opposite Pennsylvania depot.

BOY'S CORDUROY PANTS

15 Dozen JUST RECEIVED.

Odorless AND Heavy.

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ORIGINAL IN NAME. ORIGINAL IN NATURE. ORIGINAL IN DESIGN.

A Fete Day for the Ladies. The most complete Minstrel Organization extant. A host of European Novelties, 10 big laughable Vaudeville and Specialty Acts.

Celebrities culled from the ranks of the World's foremost artists. More than any other minstrel organization traveling.

A Galaxy of Operatic Vocalists.

35 PEOPLE 35 Lauded by the Millions.

Not a cheap priced combination. PRICES: 25c, 35c and 50c.

Rheumatic Warped Limbs.

To suffer the most excruciating pains, to lose the use of limbs, and to have the joints swollen and disfigured is the lot of the victim of rheumatism.

Uric acid in the blood is the cause of rheumatism. If the kidneys are active, they remove the uric acid. That is their special work. If, on the other hand, the kidneys are deranged, there is sure to be uric acid in the blood and rheumatic pain through the body.

No amount of liniment will ever cure rheumatism. It sometimes relieves, but cure can only be brought about by setting the kidneys right.

The most effective kidney remedy known to man is Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. They cure

rheumatism permanently by making the kidneys active in their work of removing the uric acid from the blood.

Mr. William J. Coad, No. 65 Brunson Street, Oswego, N. Y., writes: "I am very glad to praise Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and tell what they have done for me. I suffered for many years with severe constipation, rheumatism, and kidney trouble, and could get no relief until I tried Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. In them I found immediate relief, and can honestly recommend them to other sufferers."

One pill a dose. 25c. a box at all dealers, or Dr.

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KIDNEY-LIVER PILLS.

A. J. PELLENS, SEYMOUR.

Silk Squares

Just the thing for evening wear. We have them in Pink, Blue, Cream and Black at

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PIANOS

—AT— Factory Prices

FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS.

ALL AT 124 S. CHESTNUT ST.

Tuning and repairing by a first class tuner.

E. M. YOUNG.

About Your Eyes.

You may go on straining them. In our advertising we can warn you, but it's only in a personal way we can do you or your eyes any good. Properly adjusted glasses—our kind—will relieve minor eye troubles that, neglected, become major, and often serious ones.

JACKSON & TINDER, Jewelers and Opticians,

104 WEST SECOND STREET.

Are You Looking

For building lumber for that new house you intend building. If so don't forget to see our prices before buying, or you may regret it afterward, when you see the superior stock of well seasoned and high grade lumber that we are selling at bed rock prices. Anything in this line that you want we will show you in interior finish in quality that can't be duplicated at the price.

The Travis Carter Co

B. & O. S. W. R. R.

Facts!

Coal will advance soon. Winter will come and you will need it. The advance will be pretty big. Cars are scarce now and are getting scarcer every day.

Maybe when you want coal no cars can be secured to ship it in. You can save money by purchasing now and will run no risk of delay in shipment if you buy of



EAST BOUND. DEPART.

No. 12 4:47 a. m. daily.....4:50 a. m

No. 4 9:10 a. m. ".....9:14 a. m

No. 2 3:15 p. m. ".....3:18 p. m

No. 8 4:10 p. m. dly ex Sun 4:15 p. m

WESTBOUND. DEPART.

No. 5 5:32 a. m. dly 5:35 a. m

No. 7 10:20 a. m dly ex Sun 10:25 a. m

No. 1 11:21 a. m. daily.....11:24 a. m

No. 3 11:50p. m. ".....11:53 p. m

Local freight trains do not carry passengers. No. 5 will take local passengers west. C. C. FREY Agent.

Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the postoffice at this place, and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office:

LADIES. GENTS.

Fleming Katie Miss Lane C H Mr

Koehl Carrie Miss Ross Thos

Love Della Miss

Leah Anna Mrs

McTeader Mollie Mrs

W. P. MASTERS, P. M.

Advertised Aug. 25, 1902.

A. D. SHIELDS.



Draonia For the Complexion.

Draonia is a Natural Skin Food. Removes all Freckles, Tan, Pimples and Wrinkles. The low price of 25 cents places this valuable remedy within reach of everybody. The trade supplied by

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PRICES TO PLEASE YOU

Finest and Best PIANOS and ORGANS

At Harding's Old Stand

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Perfection Dyes

Full assortment—all the colors of the rainbow. You can do your own dyeing at very little expense. Make your old clothes look like new.

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Teacher of Violin, Mandolin, Guitar and all Band and Orchestra instruments. Band and Orchestra music furnished for all occasions.

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For terms, etc., call or address 210 East 3d St. For sale one second hand organ in fine condition.

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Bears the Signature of J. C. FLETCHER

To My Friends.

It is with joy I tell you what Kodol did for me. I was troubled with my stomach for several months. Upon being advised to use Kodol, I did so, and words cannot tell the good it has done me. A neighbor had dyspepsia so that he had tried most everything. I told him to use Kodol. Words of gratitude have come to me from him because I recommended it.—Geo. W. Fry, Viola, Iowa. Health and strength of mind and body, depend on the stomach, and normal activity of the digestive organs. Kodol, the great reconstructive tonic, cures all stomach and bowel troubles, indigestion, dyspepsia. Kodol digests any good food you eat. Take a dose after meals. Pellens' drug store. Peter's drug store.

TERSE TELEGRAMS

Five persons of a boating party were drowned at Battle Creek, Mich.

The annual meeting of the American bar association is being held in New York.

Creosote driven by George Ketcham went a mile in 238 ft. Thursday at Chillicothe, Ohio.

The Fairbairns have compromised with Mrs. Fair's mother, and there will be no contest over the estate.

King Victor Emanuel, of Italy, made a gala entry into Berlin, Thursday morning, from Potsdam.

It is now certain that the Wabash road will connect its western properties and build a line to the Atlantic.

The South Wales Miners' Federation decided to forward \$1,000 to aid the striking miners of the United States.

The leading messenger service company in Omaha has advertised for girls to take the place of boys as messengers.

Montagu Holbein, the English swimmer, who started on his third attempt to swim the English channel, failed in his attempt.

Strikers fired on the miners and tipplemen at Crane creek, W. Va. Two guards and to strikers were killed. Several were wounded.

The international cavalry race from Brussels to Ostend was won by Lieutenant Madiet, of the French army, who completed the distance of 88 miles in six hours and fifty-four minutes.

MILL DISASTERS.

Monticello, Ind., Aug. 29.—The paper mill owned by Bradner, Smith & Co. of Chicago is being torn down, and the machinery has been sold as old iron. The waterpower has been placed in good condition, to be offered for sale. The mill once did a thriving business, but several years ago was closed owing to the firm becoming part of the trust.

Are Willow Trees Lightning Proofs?

"In all my forty years' experience with trees and plants," said a well known gardener, "I have yet to hear of a willow tree being struck by lightning. Spruce trees, whitewood and pine trees sometimes almost seem to attract the electricity, and oak and other large trees and even many small trees are often maimed and killed. But willow trees seem for some reason to be immune to death or injury in this shape, and I have never seen or even heard of a tree of this family which lightning has ever struck."—Cleveland Leader.

Does It Pay To Buy Cheap.

A cheap remedy for coughs and colds is all right, but you want something that will relieve and cure the more severe and dangerous results of throat and lung troubles. What shall you do? Go to a warmer and more regular climate? Yes, if possible; if not possible for you, then in either case take the ONLY remedy that has been introduced in all civilized countries with success in severe throat and lung troubles, "Boschee's German Syrup." It not only heals and stimulates the tissues to destroy the germ disease, but allays inflammation, causes easy expectoration, gives a good night's rest, and cures the patient. Try one bottle. Recommended many years by all druggists in the world. You can get this reliable remedy at W. F. Peter's Drug Co. and get a sample bottle free. Regular size, 75 cts. Get Green's special almanac.

Swedish "Fritids."

One of the old customs is for people to indicate their business upon their visiting cards. You will receive the card of Lawyer Jones or Banker Smith or Notary Johnson or Music Professor Brown or Grocer (which means wholesale merchant) Ferguson or Geologist Thompson, and if a man ever held an office it is customary to indicate that fact upon his card. A burgomaster is always a burgomaster, a consul is always a consul and an alderman always an alderman. The prefixes "Hon." and "Mr." are seldom used, and the title, whether commercial or professional, is observed in conversation in the same way. It would sound rather queer for any one in the United States to ask, "Wholesale Merchant MacVeagh, will you kindly pass the butter?" or "Banker Hutchinson, will you escort Frau Board of Trade Operator Jones to the table?" or "Director of Music Ziegfeld, I wish you good day?" but that is the custom in Sweden, and it is observed by children as well as grown people. A lisping child will approach a guest, make a pretty little bow courtesy and say, "Good morning, Chief Justice of Supreme Court Smith," or "Good night, Representative in Congress Brown."

It is customary also for ladies to print their maiden names upon their visiting cards in smaller type under their married names, particularly if they have a pride of family and want people to know their ancestry.—Chicago Record.

His Sight Threatened.

"While picnicking last month my 11-year-old boy was poisoned by some weed or plant," says W. H. Dibble, of Sioux City, Ia. "He rubbed the poison off his hands into his eyes and for a while we were afraid he would lose his sight. Finally a neighbor recommended DeWitt's Hazel Salve. The first application helped him and in a few days he was as well as ever." For skin diseases, cuts, burns, scalds, wounds, insect bites, DeWitt's Hazel Salve is sure cure. Relieves piles at once. Beware of counterfeits. Pellens' drug store. Peter's drug store.

BLOOMS THAT POISON

ODORS OF FLOWERS THAT ARE HARMFUL TO HEALTH.

Beware of the Poppy, as it Contains Opium and Induces Drowsiness. Tulips That Are Dangerous and Produce Light Headedness.

The majority of people think that the tulip has no smell, and this is true of a great number of the fashionable variegated kinds. The old self colored sorts, however, particularly those of a deep crimson hue, have a powerful odor, which is dangerous when inhaled. This odor is of saffron flavor and affects many people in a very peculiar manner. If breathed deeply, it has the effect of producing light headedness, which continues for some time, causing the sufferer to do and say all manner of remarkable and ridiculous things. Its influence often lasts for an hour or two and is followed by deep depression.

Another common flower whose odor has evil properties is the poppy. This is doubtless due to the quantity of opium which the blossom contains. Numbers of individuals, especially young ladies of highly strung temperament, complain of the drowsy sensation which comes after walking through a field of these flowers and afterward of violent headaches and a disinclination to move about. In Asia Minor, where the poppy is grown in vast quantities for the purpose of extracting the drug, tourists are frequently incapacitated for many hours after inspecting a poppy plantation, and two cases of death among English tourists were traced to the same cause last year.

All flowers grown from bulbs are dangerous in rooms where there is illness. Although bunches of flowers are invariably taken as presents to patients, such blooms as hyacinths, lilies of the valley, tuberose and even daffodils and narcissuses should be carefully avoided. The perfume is as dangerous to a person in a critical state of health as a dose of morphia would be, without possessing the benefits which that drug sometimes confers.

Perhaps the most remarkable effect which any garden flower has on the human body is that which follows the handling of the particular variety of primula known as obconica. Experienced gardeners are always careful to wear gloves when potting this plant, as, should there be ever such a slight scratch or prick on the hands or fingers, evil results are almost certain to follow.

The first noticeable result is a slight itching of the hands and arms, and this precedes the breaking out of a skin disease which frequently extends to the body. It dies away in the autumn when the leaves fall, and by Christmas the sufferer is free, but the primula has by no means finished its deadly work. When spring comes again and the sap rises in plants and trees, the dread disease makes its reappearance and continues all through the summer.

This continues for many years, frequently for the whole of the victim's lifetime, and there is no known remedy for it, although years of the most rigid dieting have in some cases produced a diminution in its violence. If blood poisoning by the primula obconica does not take this form, it brings about the still more dreadful erysipelas. Cases of poisoning through eating the berries of the belladonna, or deadly nightshade, are all too frequent, but there is the gravest danger in even handling this attractive plant.

It is a very common practice in the country among parties of young people to pick the berries and flick them at each other with the fingers for sport. Then, when heated by the fun and fusillade, the face is sometimes mopped with a handkerchief upon which fingers sticky with the juice of the berries have been wiped.

Should but just a little of this get into one of the eyes a fearful calamity may ensue. Iritis, or paralysis of the iris of the eye, which invariably results in blindness, has been known to come on, and against this dread disease medical skill has as yet proved unavailing. This, too, is in face of the paradoxical fact that treatment with tincture of belladonna is the one usually adopted in the elementary stages of iritis.

The dainty heroine who is so often to be heard of as idly plucking to pieces the petals of a flower must beware which blossoms she chooses for the purpose. Lilies, begonias, rhododendrons and peonies are likely to set up festers, with consequent loss of finger nails, if treated in this way.—London Answers.

Where London Drinks.

Originality was evidently not one of the strong points of the godfathers of public houses, as the majority of names are borne by any number from two to a dozen or more premises. Where, however, they have determined to get something fresh they have undoubtedly done so. The Antigallian, Bag of Nails, Blade Bone, Bombay Grab, David and Harp, Experienced Fowler, Flying Pan, Grave Maurice, Greenland Fishery, Kent Day, Sash and Cocoa Tree, Old Blind Beggar and Ticket Porter are all names to be found within the metropolis, as well as the inexplicable combinations of Cock and Harp, Five Bells and Bladebone, French Horn and Antelope, Crown and Can, Bell and Mackerel, Cock and Neptune, Jolly Sailors and Little Bit, Ship and Blue Ball, Ship and Shovel, Sun and Thirteen Cantons and the King's Head and Eight Bells. Lastly, there are three North Poles, two World's Ends, a Finish and a Final.—London Mail.

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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson

BRICKS WITHOUT STRAW.

More than a thousand years ago—
Shadows of time, how the days go by—
There was a man I used to know—
May seem strange, but you'll see it's so
After I tell you the reason why—
Worked in a brickyard, same as you
And all of us have to do,
Mixed in the trouble and worry and strife,
The mirth and the other things of life;
Stirred in the hopes and the pains and fears,
Headed the mud with his sweat and his tears,
Hummed that man that ever you saw,
"Poor trick!" said the man, "but I have no straw!"

Up to his knees in the mucky pit,
A pigmy's way, but a giant's grit;
His back was a chain of throbbing aches,
Lifting the mold with its earthen cakes;
Elbows rusty as hinges of steel,
Knees so lame he could hardly kneel;
Mud so stiff it would clog a plow
And couldn't be stirred with a wheel now;
Nights as short as the days were long;
Nothing seemed right, but everything wrong.
"Just I can do," said the man; "but, pawaw,
You can't make brick when you have no straw!"

Taskmasters pitiless laashed the man,
"Can't!" sobbed Weakness, but Courage cried,
"Can!"
"Don't!" said Despair, but Duty cried, "Do!"
"All right," said the man, "I'll worry her through!"
Can't do much, and I reckon you'll see
Brick won't be just what they ought to be;
Ain't high so good as I know I could make
If I just had straw; but you'll have to take
The best I can do for the work's own sake."

He finished his tale of brick and then
Went home to rest, and one son of men
Looked on his perfect work and saw
He'd have spoiled the brick had he put in straw.
—Robert J. Burdette.

GREYHOUNDS.

They Are the Fleetest of All Four Footed Animals.

Comparatively few people realize of what remarkable speed dogs are capable. Some remarkable statistics in regard to this have been gathered by M. Dusolier, a French scientist.

After pointing out the marvelous endurance shown by little fox terriers who follow their masters patiently for hours while the latter are riding on bicycles or in carriages, he says that even greater endurance is shown by certain wild animals that are akin to dogs.

Thus the wolf can run between 50 and 60 miles in one night, and an arctic fox can do quite as well, if not better.

Nansen met one of these foxes on the ice at a point more than 70 miles north-west of the Sannikow territory, which is 480 miles from the Asiatic coast. Eskimo and Siberian dogs can travel 45 miles on the ice in five hours, and there is one case on record in which a team of Eskimo dogs traveled 6½ miles in 28 minutes.

According to M. Dusolier, the speed of the shepherd dogs and those used in hunting ranges from 10 to 15 yards a second. English setters and pointers hunt at the rate of 18 to 19 miles an hour, and they can maintain this speed for at least two hours.

Foxhounds are extraordinarily swift, as is proved by the fact that a dog of this breed once beat a thoroughbred horse, covering four miles in 6½ minutes, which was at the rate of nearly 18 yards a second.

Greyhounds are the swiftest of all four footed creatures, and their speed may be regarded as equal to that of carrier pigeons. English greyhounds, which are carefully selected and which are used for coursing, are able to cover at full gallop a space between 18 and 23 yards every second.

How great an achievement this is may be judged from the fact that a thoroughbred horse rarely if ever exceeds 10 yards. Moreover, it is said that a hare at its greatest speed never goes faster than at the rate of 18 yards.

These interesting statistics are exciting much comment among sportsmen and other lovers of dogs, and the opinion is unanimous that M. Dusolier has fully proved the right of the greyhound to rank as the swiftest of the quadrupeds. Express engines only surpass them.—London Mail.

Tentative Interment.

A poor Scotchwoman lay dying, and her husband sat by her bedside. After a time the wife took her husband's hand and said:

"John, we're goin' to part. I have been a gude wife to ye, haven't I?"

John thought a moment.

"Well, just middling like, Jenny, ye know," anxious not to say too much.

Again the wife spoke.

"John," she said faintly, "ye maun promise to bury me in the auld kirkyard at Str'aven beside my mither. I could na rest in peace among unco' folk in the dirt and smoke o' Glasgie."

"Weel, weel, Jenny, my woman," said John soothingly, "we'll just try ye in Glasgie first, an' gin ye dinna be quiet we'll try ye in Str'aven."—Spare Moments.

He Didn't Complain.

Young Wife—This talk about men being so impatient when a woman is getting ready to go anywhere is all nonsense.

Friend—Doesn't your husband complain at all?

Young Wife—No, indeed! Why, last evening I couldn't find my gloves and had a long hunt for half a dozen other things, and yet when I was finally dressed and went down stairs to my husband there he was by the fire reading and smoking as calmly as if I wasn't half an hour late.

Friend—Well, I declare! Where were you going?

Young Wife—to prayer meeting.—New York Weekly.

As She Saw It.

Mrs. Kleener—What is the matter with you this evening, John, that you ain't smoking?

Mr. Kleener—The doctor says I mustn't. He says I must stop smoking or die.

Mrs. Kleener—Oh, I'm so glad! You won't be scenting up my curtains any more, will you?—Boston Transcript.

To Cure the Stammerer.

It is said that stammerers rarely if ever show any impediment of speech when speaking in whispers. On this fact a method of treatment has been advocated, which is as follows: For the first ten days speaking is prohibited. This will allow rest to the voice and constitutes the preliminary stage of treatment. During the next ten days speaking is permissible in the whispering voice, and in the course of the next fifteen days the ordinary conversational tone may be gradually employed.

Color Line Drawn.

Lebanon, Pa., Aug. 29.—At a meeting of 300 ironworkers of the American Iron and Steel company, who have been on a strike since May, it was decided to notify the company that if the imported negroes brought here from Reading early in the week are not withdrawn within twenty-four hours, all the machinists, bolt and nut workers and other employees will go on strike, thus tying up the extensive plant, which when in operation employs 1,200 men and boys. Sheriff Copenhaver has sworn in fifteen deputies.

At Agua Dulce.

Washington, Aug. 29.—Advices received from Colombia state that the attacking force at Agua Dulce consists of practically all the rebels on the isthmus, about 2,500 in number, and the government troops who are holding out in the town number 2,200. The government forces are strongly entrenched, and it is said that even without outside assistance they can hold Agua Dulce for at least ten or twelve days and possibly longer if food supplies do not give out.

Ol'ire oil should be found in every nursery and on every medicine shelf. In time of croup it can be given frequently and will not disturb the digestion, as do many medicines. It is often given in place of cod liver oil and is as effective in building up the system and far less disagreeable. It is recommended by many specialists both as a food and a tonic. A certain young chemist never has a cold or requires any medicine except a spoonful of olive oil every night and morning, which he takes regularly. He seldom wears an overcoat.—New York Tribune.

Ely's Liquid Cream Balm is an old friend in a new form. It is prepared for the particular benefit of sufferers from nasal catarrh who are used to an atomizer in spraying the diseased membranes. All the healing and soothing properties of Cream Balm are retained in the new preparation. It does not dry up the secretions. Price, including spraying tube, 4 cents. At your druggist's or Ely Brother's, 56 Warren Street, New York, will merit it.

\$142,500.00

WILL BE GIVEN AWAY IN JAN. 1903

TO SMOKERS OF THE

BEST AND LARGEST SELLING BRANDS OF CIGARS IN THE WORLD!



HOW MANY CIGARS

will the United States collect Taxes on during the Month of December, 1902?

(Cigars bearing \$3.00 per thousand tax.)

\$142,500.00 will be given in January, 1903, to the persons whose estimates are nearest to the number of cigars on which \$3.00 tax per thousand is paid during the month of December, 1902, as shown by the total sales of stamps made by the United States Internal Revenue Department during December, 1902.

Distribution will be made as follows:

To the.....(1) person estimating the closest	\$5,000.00 in cash
To the.....2 persons whose estimates are next closest	5,000.00 "
To the.....5 persons whose estimates are next closest	5,000.00 "
To the.....10 persons whose estimates are next closest	5,000.00 "
To the.....20 persons whose estimates are next closest	5,000.00 "
To the.....25 persons whose estimates are next closest	5,000.00 "
To the.....50 persons whose estimates are next closest	2,500.00 "
To the.....100 persons whose estimates are next closest	2,500.00 "
To the.....2,000 persons whose estimates are next closest	20,000.00 "
To the.....3,000 persons whose estimates are next closest	15,000.00 "
To the 30,000 persons whose estimates are next closest we will send to each one box of 50 "Cremo" Cigars (value \$2.50 per box).	75,000.00
35,213 persons.....	\$142,500.00

Every 100 bands from above named cigars will entitle you to four estimates.

(One "Florodora" band counting as two bands from the 5 cent cigars mentioned; and no less than 100 bands will be received at any one time for estimates.)

Information which may be of value in making estimates—the number of Cigars now bearing \$3.00 Tax per thousand, for which Stamps were purchased, appears below:

In December, 1900,	467,062,308 Cigars.	In March, 1902,	516,599,027 Cigars.
" December, 1901,	479,312,170 "	" April, 1902,	516,835,163 "
" January, 1902,	496,983,717 "	" May, 1902,	523,035,907 "
" February, 1902,	445,495,483 "		

In case of a tie in estimates, the amount offered will be divided equally among those entitled to it. Distribution of the awards will be made as soon after January 1st, 1903 as the figures are obtainable from the Internal Revenue Department of the United States for December.

Write your full name and Post Office Address plainly on packages containing bands. The postage, or Express charges on your package must be fully prepaid, in order for your estimate to participate.

All estimates under this offer must be forwarded before December 1st, 1902, to the FLORODORA TAG COMPANY, Jersey City, N. J.

You do not lose the value of your bands. Receipts will be sent you for your bands, and these receipts will be just as good as the bands themselves in securing Presents. One band from "Florodora," or two bands from any of the other Cigars mentioned above, will count in securing Presents the same as one tag from "Star," "Horse Shoe," "Spear Head," "Standard Navy," "Old Peach and Honey," "J. T.," "Master Workman," "Piper Heidsieck," "Jolly Tar," "Boot Jack," "Old Honesty," "Razor," or "Planet" Tobacco; or one "Sweet Caporal" Cigarette Box Front.

Send each estimate on a separate piece of paper, with your name and address plainly written on each. Blank forms for estimates will be mailed upon application.

Illustrated Catalogue of Presents for 1903 and 1904 will be ready for distribution about October 1st, 1902, and will be mailed on receipt of ten cents, or ten tobacco tags, or twenty cigar bands.